

SUBJECT: Griggs & Walnut Plume - Meeting with the New Mexico Army National Guard Armory (NMARNG) on the GWP IDRA Findings and their 104(e) Anticipated Response to EPA's Inquiry - August 24-25, 2004

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TO: File

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SUMMARY:

WHO: EPA representatives met with representatives of the NMARNG and the Project Manager of the site with NMED (Dana Bahar). (Attendee list attached).

WHERE: NMARNG office in Santa Fe, NM.

WHAT: To discuss the Superfund Process and specifically, where we are in the process (fact finding) with regard to the identified release areas. One of the three release areas is located at property formerly occupied by the Guard.

MESSAGE EPA COMMUNICATED: Thoroughly review files and perform interviews with i.e., past employees in order to adequately respond to the EPA 104(e) inquiry. EPA also assisted with the file review. Information obtained with the Guard will be formally submitted to EPA with their response.

The Guard also provided a site tour of their facilities in order to impress upon EPA the pollution prevention activities they have in place at all of their facilities now. EPA expressed appreciation of the tour. EPA also assisted to a limited extent, the Guard staff review and cull files for their formal response. The Guard will continue to review files and availability of information.

The response back from the Guard is due back on September 20, 2004.